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# 1939 Spring Trade List

**TERMS:** F. O. B. Babylon, L. I., N. Y. 25% cash with order, balance before shipping, except to firms having rated credit.

**PROMPT SHIPMENT.** Our stock is carefully rouged; well known and dependable. Prices are within reason and good business policy.

Quotations for roots are per each and per 100; divisions of field grown stock (not forced) 3 or more at the 100 rate.

Write for prices on large lots.

We will be glad to send full description of any varieties not known to you.

Varieties which can be grown larger than 11 inches are marked with a "G" right after the type.

Color pictures of Elizabeth Potter, Salmon Supreme, Countess of Claverly or Market Queen are available free upon request.

All shipments will be made by express unless you prefer to have shipment by parcel post. If so please send postage to cover.

All bulbs guaranteed true to name.

Varieties marked \* are good for cut flowers.

We regret we cannot accept orders for less than \$3.00. We respectfully urge early ordering.

## Decorative

	Each	Per 100
Adirondack Sunset, ID, Scarlet Yellow .....	.50	\$ 40.00
Adorable, ID, Peach .....	.50	40.00
*Air Mail, FD, Lavender .....	.40	
American Legion, ID, (G), Bright Yellow .....	.60	
America's Sweetheart, ID, (G), Yellow .....	.60	50.00
Amun Ra, FD, Burnt Orange .....	.15	10.00
Angelo Rossi, ID, Golden Apricot .....	.60	50.00
Ann Benedict, ID, Rich Garnet .....	.40	30.00
*Antartica, FD, Pure White .....	.30	25.00
Arela Lloyd, ID, Yellow-Rose .....	.40	30.00
*Avalon, ID, Deep Yellow .....	.15	7.00
Azura, ID, (G), Rose-Lilac .....	.75	
Bagdad, FD, Scarlet .....	.25	20.00
Ballegos Glory, FD, Deep Red-Gold .....	.50	40.00
*Bay Shore Beauty, FD, Lavender Jersey Beauty .....	.20	10.00
Betty Zane, ID, Erosine pink .....	.30	25.00
Bing Crosby, ID, Yellow-Red .....	.50	40.00
Black Knight, ID, (G), Velvety Maroon .....	.50	40.00
Blue River, FD, (G) Blue Violet....	.60	50.00

	Each	Per 100
*Bronze Knight, ID, 9—11 in., An outstanding, robust-growing flower of lively red, bronze and orange .....	.50	40.00
*Buckeye Bride, FD, Geranium Pink .....	.35	30.00
Buckeye King, FD, Gold .....	.25	20.00
*California Idol, ID, (G), Yellow....	.50	40.00
California Rose, ID, (G) Rose ....	.50	40.00
Cameo, FD, Coral Pink .....	.30	25.00
*Cavalcade, FD, Canary-Red .....	.30	20.00
Champoeg, FD, Yellow-Salmon .....	.40	30.00
Chautauqua Salute, ID, Pure White .....	.20	15.00
Chautauqua Sunset, FD, Yellow-Coral .....	.40	30.00
Clara Carder, ID, (G), Cyclamen Pink .....	.50	40.00
Cora Butterworth, FD, Yellow .....	.30	25.00
Daddy Kemp, ID, (G), Purple Red .....	.40	30.00
Daily Mail, ID, Yellow-Orange .....	.30	25.00
Darcy Sainbury, ID, (G), White ....	1.50	
David Copperfield, ID, (G), Violet .....	1.00	
Dean Anderson, ID, (G), Henna.....	2.50	
Director Plumcocq, ID, Brown and Gold .....	1.00	
Dr. John H. Carman, FD, Rosy Red .....	.25	20.00
Dwight Morrow, FD, Cardinal .....	.25	20.00
Eagle Rock Beauty, ID, Pink-Cream .....	.20	15.00
Eagle Rock Fantasy, FD, Mallow Pink .....	.60	50.00
Elissa Landi, FD, Orange Buff ....	.35	30.00
*Elizabeth Potter, ID, (G), A new New Gold Medal Dahlia, was the winner of many trophies as a seedling and in display exhibits. The massive, full flower measures 8 to 12 inches in diameter and 4 to 2 inches in depth. Its light centered petals are of picric yellow, lightly edged and tipped violet, bordered by three to four rows of picric yellow, and all outside petals are amaranth pink, truly a gorgeous effect. A vigorous, free flowering and long strong stemmed variety of easy culture .....	.30	25.00
Eliza London Shephard, ID, Golden Apricot .....	.20	15.00
*Elinor Vanderveer, FD, Lavender Pink .....	.15	10.00
E. T. Bedford, ID, Purple .....	.20	15.00
Forest Fire, ID, Yellow-Scarlet .....	.40	30.00
Fort Washington, FD, (G), Deep Maroon .....	.30	25.00
*Francis Larocco, FD, Clear Yellow .....	.10	5.00
Frank Serpa, ID, (G), Orchid Pink .....	.50	
Freda George, (G), Pink and Cream .....	2.50	



	Each	Per 100		Each	Per 100
Girl of Hillcrest, FD, Apricot .....	.25	20.00	Monarch of the East, ID, (G),		
*Golden Eclipse, FD, Salmon .....	.20	12.00	Autumn .....	1.50	
Golden Sweepstakes, ID, (G), Golden			Monmouth Champion, FD, Flame		
Buff .....	.75		Scarlet .....	.20	15.00
Good Night, ID, Garnet Maroon ....	.40	30.00	*Mrs. A. E. Wheeler, FD, Fuchsia		
*Grace Curling, FD, Lavender .....	.25	20.00	Purple .....	.15	10.00
*Graf Zeppelin, FD, Pure White ....	.20	15.00	Mrs. A. B. Seal, ID, Old Rose .....	.25	20.00
Grandee, ID, (G), Yellow Gold ....	.50	40.00	Mrs. Geo. LeBoutillier, ID, Carmine		
Great Eastern, ID, (G), Orange-Gold	1.50		Red .....	.30	25.00
Haslerova, ID, White and Purple ....	.75		*Mrs. I de ver Warner, FD, Orchid		
Hillcrest Cinderella, ID, (G), Deep			Pink .....	.10	7.00
Lavender .....	.60	50.00	Mrs. Seals HRS, ID, True Yellow....	.40	30.00
Hunts Velvet Wonder, ID, (G),			Mrs. Wm. S. Knudsen, ID, (G),		
Burgundy .....	.30	25.00	White .....	2.50	
Ida Perkins, FD, Creamy White ....	.30	20.00	Murphy's Masterpiece, ID, (G),		
Jane Dew, ID, Pure Pink .....	.60	50.00	Bright Red .....	.85	75.00
*James Kirby, FD, Dazzling Crimson	.20	15.00	Myra Howard, ID, Yellow-Salmon..	.25	20.00
Jane Cowl, ID, Yellow Gold .....	.15	8.00	New Glory, SC, Garnet top white....	.40	30.00
Janet Southwick, FD, Tyrian Rose	.25	20.00	Oakleigh Monarch, FD, (G), Cerise		
*Jean Kerr, FD, Pure White .....	.15	5.00	Red .....	.75	60.00
Jerseys Beacon, FD, Chinese Scarlet	.15	7.00	Omar Khayyam, FD, Red-Orange....	.20	12.00
*Jerseys Beacon Ball, SH, Scarlet			Opal, ID, (G), Cream-Salmon .....	1.25	
Buff .....	.15	6.00	Orchid Queen, ID, (G), Pink .....	.60	50.00
*Jerseys Beauty, FD, Rose Pink .....	.10	5.00	Oriental Glory, ID, Deep Orange....	.30	20.00
Jerseys Majestic, ID, Bronze-Red ..	.60	50.00	Pastel Glow, ID, White-Lavender....	.30	25.00
Jerseys Mammoth, ID, Burnt Orange	.20	15.00	Peace, ID, (G), White .....	1.00	
*Jerseys Triumph, FD, Copper .....	.20	10.00	Pink Daily Mail, ID, Pink .....	.50	
Jim Moore, ID, Primrose-Gold .....	.30	20.00	*Pink Glory, FD, 8—10 in., Brilliant		
Jimmy Fox, ID, (G), Copper-Red....	1.50		glowing deep pink of fine form		
Josephine G, ID, Rose Pink .....	.20	15.00	and very free blooming on strong		
Joyce Louise, ID, (G), Lavender-			stems .....	.40	30.00
Pink .....	3.50		Pride of Austinburg, ID, Pink-Yellow	.60	50.00
Judge Marean, FD, Orange-Red ....	.20	15.00	*Pride of California, FD, Deep Red	.15	6.00
Julia Irene, ID, (G), Pink .....	1.00		Prince of Persia, FD, (G), Scarlet....	.20	15.00
Kathleen Norris, ID, (G), Pure Pink	.20	15.00	Purple Mist, FD, Purple .....	1.00	
Kemp's Violet Wonder, FD, Violet....	.35	25.00	Queen City, FD, Pink .....	.50	40.00
Kaweah, ID, (G), Cerise-Rose .....	.40	30.00	Queen Garden Beautiful, FD, Lemon		
*Kentucky, FD, Orange Salmon .....	.10	7.00	Yellow .....	.20	15.00
King Midas, FD, Bright Yellow .....	.20	15.00	*Red King, FD, 5—7 in., a free flow-		
King of the Blacks, FD, Deep			ering Formal Decorative, with in-		
Maroon .....	.30	25.00	tense deep red blooms of fine		
*Lady Moyra Ponsonby, ID, Yellow..	.40	30.00	form .....	.20	15.00
LaFiesta, ID, Yellow and Red .....	.40	30.00	*Red Sunrise, FD, 5—7 in., Flower		
Leland Stanford, ID, (G), Red .....	1.00		deep, intense red, 6 to 8 inches		
*Le Toreador, FD, Red .....	.15	5.00	across. Good cut flower variety	.20	10.00
Lord of Autumn, ID, (G), Lemon			Robert Emmet, ID, Rose Red .....	.30	25.00
Yellow .....	.50	40.00	Robt. Ripley, ID, (G), Purple .....	1.50	
Magrace, ID, (G), Scarlet and Gold	.50	40.00	Rose Queen, ID, 9—12 in., A giant		
Major Bowes, ID, (G), Deep Red .....	.60	50.00	flower of great beauty carried aloft		
Man O War, ID, Velvet Red .....	.40	30.00	on fine long stems. Vigorous grow-		
Margaret W. Wilson, ID, Pink and			grower and free bloomer. Clear		
White .....	.10	6.00	old rose color .....	.75	
*Market Queen, FD, 4—5 in., A			Roman Eagle, ID, (G), Buff and Gold	.20	15.00
strikingly brilliant scarlet-red			*Rose Fallon, FD, Deep Buff .....	.15	10.00
tipped white .....	.20	10.00	Rotary, FD, Red and White .....	.40	
*Marshall's Pink, FD, Flesh Pink....	.20	10.00	Royal Robe, ID, Royal Purple .....	.60	
Mary Ellen, ID, Lavender Pink .....	.20	15.00	Ruby Taylor, FD, Ruby Red .....	.30	25.00
Maryland Glory, ID, American			Rudolph's Giant, ID, (G), Buff .....	2.50	
Beauty .....	.30	25.00	*Sagamore, FD, Yellow and Apricot	.10	5.00
Mid West Champion, ID, (G), Violet-			*Sagamore Gold, FD, Gold .....	.20	10.00
Rose .....	.60	50.00	*Salmon Supreme, FD, 8—10 in., Its		
Milton J. Cross, ID, (G), Yellow-Rose	.75	60.00	color and form are really won-		
Miss Englewood, ID, (G), Red .....	2.00		derful. The very large, glistening		
*Miss Oakland, ID, White .....	.75	60.00	salmon-orange pink flowers are		



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held proudly erect on the strongest stems. A vigorous grower and free flowering .....	.20	10.00
Shahrazad, ID, Deep Pink .....	.20	10.00
Sonny Boy, ID, Old Rose .....	.40	30.00
Spotlight, ID, Sulphur Yellow .....	.40	30.00
*Spotswood Beauty, FD, Chatenay Pink .....	.30	25.00
Strongheart, ID, Golden Apricot ....	.50	40.00
Sultan of Hillcrest, FD, Yellow Pink ..	.40	30.00
The Commodore, FD, (G), Lemon Yellow .....	.20	15.00
The Fireman, ID, Cardinal Red .....	.40	35.00
The Gateway, ID, (G), YellowRose ..	1.00	
The Phantom, ID, Purple Tip White ..	.75	65.00
Thomas Edison, FD, Royal Purple ..	.25	20.00
Towers Empire, ID, Golden Amber ..	.40	35.00
Treasure Island, FD, Bright Apricot ..	.25	20.00
*Trentonian, FD, Copper .....	.20	10.00
Volcano, ID, (G), Orange-flame.....	1.50	
Washington Giant, ID, Orchid .....	.60	50.00
Watchung Giant, ID, (G), Yellow Rose .....	1.25	
Wenoka, FD, (G) Rosy Mauve ....	.50	40.00
*White Abundance, ID, White .....	.50	
White Beauty, FD, Pure White ....	.60	50.00
*White King, FD, 5—8 in., Pure white Formal Decorative, sport of Francis Larocco. It has all the good qualities of the parents, size, beauty of form and substance. Best WHITE cut flower in the New York Market .....	.15	7.00
White Knight, FD, Pure White ....	.60	50.00
White Wonder, ID, (G), Pure White ..	.20	15.00
W. H. T., Begonia Rose .....	.20	15.00
Wm. H. Hogan, FD, Carmine-White ..	.15	10.00
*Yellow Glory, FD, New bright yellow 5—7 in. flower. We consider this variety absolutely the best cut flower in its color. Our introduction White King has proved the best white market variety and we predict that Yellow Glory will prove just as good. Do not miss this dahlia Strong Divisions.....	2.00	75.00
York and Lancaster, ID, Carmine White .....	.20	15.00

## Cactus

	Each	Per 100
Aiko, SC, Cardinal Red .....	.40	
Alice Whittier, SC, Bright Yellow....	.30	20.00
Ambassador, C, (G), Salmon-Amber ..	.50	40.00
Amelia Earhart, SC, (G), Apricot....	.60	50.00
American Purity, SC, (G), White ....	1.50	
American Triumph, C, Clear Red....	.30	20.00
Ballegos Surprise, C, White .....	.75	
Bernice Gee, C, Pink .....	3.50	
Bette Davis, SC, (G), Violet Rose....	.50	40.00

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*Buckeye Star, SC, Jasper Pink .....	.60	50.00
Pride of America, SC, (G), Yellow ..	.75	
Corralina, C, Rose Salmon .....	.50	40.00
Challenger, SC, Cardinal .....	.35	30.00
*Cigarette, SC, Red-White .....	.15	8.00
Countess of Claverly, SC, 8—11 in., Real pink. A very strong vigorous grower with splendid stems. Flowers very large and of perfect type. You will like this one....	.60	50.00
Eagle Rock Wonder, SC, (G) Mars Orange .....	.30	20.00
Edna Ferber, SC, Coral-Gold .....	.30	20.00
Elegance, SC, Coral-Yellow .....	.50	40.00
*Elkridge, SC, Pure White .....	.25	15.00
Fort Monmouth, SC, (G), Crimson Maroon .....	.35	25.00
Frau Bracht, SC, Light Yellow .....	.40	35.00
Frau Mansfield, C, Butter Yellow ....	.60	50.00
F. W. Fellows, C, Orange Buff .....	.25	20.00
Golden Standard, C, Buff-Amber.....	.40	30.00
Greater Glory, C, Rose and Cream ..	1.00	
*Heritage, IC, (G), Violet .....	1.25	
Jean Trimbee, SC, Petunia Violet....	.30	25.00
Jersey's Dainty, C, White .....	.25	20.00
*Jessica Dragonette, SC, (G), Peach ..	.75	60.00
Karl Bonawitz, SC, Velvet Carmine ..	.25	20.00
Kay Francis, SC, Lemon Yellow....	.35	30.00
*Kiss Me, SC, Red-White .....	.15	8.00
Lemonia, IC, Lemon Yellow .....	.30	25.00
Louise Bates, SC, (G), Mallow Purple .....	.60	50.00
Mary Retzer, SC, Lavender-Pink ....	.25	20.00
Michigan White, SC, White .....	2.00	
Miss Glory, SC, Deep Yellow .....	.75	
Miss Ohio, IC, Lilac .....	.75	60.00
*Miss West Virginia, C, Lilac Purple ..	2.50	
Mrs. Herbert O'Connor, IC, Rose Pink .....	.75	60.00
*New Glory, SC, Red and White ....	.30	20.00
Olympic Sunset, SC, Apricot-Coral ..	.50	40.00
Oriental Beauty, SC, Violet Rose....	.50	40.00
Paul Phitzer, SC, Lilac-Rose .....	.60	
*Pink Elegance, C, Rose Pink .....	3.00	
Prachtkerl, SC, Yellow .....	.50	
Pride of America, SC, Yellow .....	.75	60.00
Red Jug, SC, Red .....	.60	50.00
Royal Purchase, SC, (G), Yellow pink .....	.50	40.00
Rudy Vallee, SC, (G), Copper and Yellow .....	.30	25.00
Satan, SC, (G), Flaming Red .....	.35	30.00
Son of Satan, SC, (G), Scarlet .....	1.00	
Star of Bethlehem, SC, White .....	.35	30.00
Warren-Church, C, 8—10 in., We consider this the best Cactus introduction since Ambassador of which it is a sport. It has the same habits and form but the color is much more attractive, the outer part being soft pink, shading toward the center to white....	.60	50.00
White Satan, SC, (G), White .....	.40	35.00
Yellow Satan, SC, (G), Yellow .....	.75	60.00



## Pompons

	Each	Per 100
Amber Queen, Amber .....	\$ .15	\$ 8.00
Anna Von Schwerin, Flesh Pink ....	.20	15.00
Atom, Scarlet .....	.20	15.00
Bobby, Deep Plum .....	.15	8.00
Bob White, White .....	.15	10.00
Danny, Orange .....	.15	8.00
Darkeye, White Lavender Edge .....	.15	10.00
Darksome, Deep maroon .....	.20	15.00
Dee Dee, Lavender .....	.20	15.00
*Edgar, Cream and Lemon .....	.15	10.00
*Edith Muller, Rosy-Bronze .....	.15	8.00
Elizabeth, Yellow and brown .....	.15	8.00
Eunice, Orchid .....	.20	15.00
*Fashion, Orange .....	.15	8.00
Golden Queen, Rich yellow .....	.15	8.00
Goldilocks, Gold .....	.25	20.00
*Hazel, Buff .....	.15	8.00
*Helen Cottrell, Baby Pink .....	.15	10.00
Honey, Straw-Red .....	.20	15.00
*Joe Fette, White .....	.15	8.00
*Klein Domitea, Orange buff .....	.15	8.00
*Little Belle, Mauve Pink .....	.15	8.00
Little David, Deep orange .....	.15	10.00
*Little Edith, Yellow tipped carmine ..	.15	10.00
*Little Herman, Red and White .....	.15	8.00
Little Ike, Purple red .....	.15	10.00
Madeline, Primrose and Purple .....	.15	8.00
*Mary Muns, Deep Lavender .....	.15	10.00
Minnie Mouse, Purple-White .....	.30	25.00
Morning Mist, Lavender-White .....	.25	20.00
*Peggy Ann, Yellow and Amber .....	.20	15.00
Pride, Crimson Scarlet .....	.15	10.00
*Regulus, Cerise Purple .....	.25	20.00
*Rothout, Deep Red .....	.15	8.00
*Snowclad, White .....	.15	10.00
Sunny Cal, Pure Gold .....	.15	10.00

	Each	Per 100
*Sunny Daybreak, Apricot tip red....	.15	10.00
Takas Purple, Bluish Purple .....	.25	20.00
*Thorbe, Yellow Edged Lavender.....	.15	10.00
*Tom Thumb, Ruby Red .....	.20	15.00
*Yellow Gem, Yellow .....	.15	8.00

## Miniatures

	Each	Per 100
*Ami Barilett (Sngl) Crimson Red ....	\$ .25	\$ 20.00
*Baby Royal (Peo) Salmon pink ....	.20	15.00
*Baby Sagamore, FD, Buff Yellow ....	.40	30.00
*Betty Coombs, Deep Salmon .....	.25	20.00
*Bishop of Landoff (Dup) Red .....	.35	30.00
*Buckeye Baby, FD, Golden Buff .....	.35	30.00
*Coronne (Dec) White .....	.30	20.00
*Fairy (Dec) Lavender pink .....	.25	20.00
*Little Miss Muffet, ID, True Pink....	1.00	
*Little Snow Queen, C, White .....	.25	20.00
*Orchid Lady, FD, Orchid .....	.30	20.00
*Raleigh, ID, Bright Pink .....	.30	25.00
*Red Head (Dec) Red .....	.35	30.00
*Rhoda, FD, Shrimp Pink .....	.25	20.00
*Sanhicans Sweetheart, ID, Apricot....	.30	20.00
*Sylvia, ID, Red .....	.75	

## Single Dahlias to Color

White, Pink, Red, Yellow, Bronze  
15c each                      \$10.00 per 100

## Green Plants

Please send for special list ready March 15th